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## Slovakia Livestock and Products Classical Swine Outbreak 2005

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## **Report Highlights:**

On August 12, 2005 the Slovak State Veterinary and Food Administration announced an outbreak of classical swine fewer (CSF) in domestic pigs on a farm called Ples in the town of Rapovce in the Lucenec district. This announcement followed the State Veterinary Institute's confirmation of CSF on August 9. The District State Veterinary and Food Administration of Lucenec have since destroyed all 851 pigs housed on the Ples farm and established a protection and surveillance zone around the area of outbreak.

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Slovakia's last outbreak of CSF occured in November 2004 (for more information see GAINS report LO4019). Slovakia had three cases of CSF in 2004.